

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**Attorney Docket No.: 200701893-2**

**PATENT**

In the Application of:	)	
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Bindu Rama Rao, et al.	)	
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Serial No.: 10/654,412	)	<b><u>Electronically filed on</u></b>
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Filed: September 3, 2003	)	<b><u>November 21, 2007</u></b>
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For: PROCESSING SYSTEM WITH	)	
COMPONENT ARCHITECTURE	)	
PLATFORM SUPPORT	)	
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Examiner: CHAVIS, JOHN Q.	)	
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Group Art Unit: 2193	)	
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Confirmation No.: 5466	)	
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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § AND**  
**AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

This Amendment accompanies a Request For Continued Examination Under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 in the above-identified application (the "Application"). This paper responds to the final Office Action mailed August 24, 2007 in the Application. The Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments prior to continued examination in the Application.

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**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper. **Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.